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"Life is short. Have an affair."

'I sign up 35,000 people a day.
I get 120 million visitors a month.'

'Undiscovered cheating is good.'

'Cheating is like the secret glue that
keeps millions of marriages together.'



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The Summons
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The day is coming when all will have to give an account to Jesus, who will condemn the wicked to the second death, while rewarding the faithful with eternal life.



The Summons: *all will be called to stand before God to be judged for the deeds done while on this earth.*

The Great White Throne

And I saw the dead, the great and the small,
standing before the throne...

The Books

...books were opened; and another book was opened,
which is *the book of life*

The Judgment

...the dead were judged from the things which were
written in the books, according to their deeds

Revelation 20:11-13

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The Standard: *God Himself is the standard by which all will be judged.*

A. There is a moral standard: *Good or bad*

2 Corinthians 5:10 For we must all appear before the judgment seat of Christ, so that **each of us** may receive what is due us for the **things done** while in the body, whether **good** or **bad**.

John 5:29 ...and [all] will come forth; those who did the **good deeds** to a resurrection of life, those who committed the **evil deeds** to a resurrection of judgment.

Colossians 3:25 For he who **does wrong** will **receive the consequences** [paid back] of **the wrong which he has done**, and that **without partiality**.

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B. The **Word** sets that Standard:

John 12:48 He who rejects Me and does not receive My sayings, has one who judges him; the **word** I spoke is what **will judge him** at the last day

Hebrews 4:12 For the word of God is living and active and sharper than any two-edged sword, and piercing as far as the division of soul and spirit, of both joints and marrow, and able to judge the thoughts and intentions of the heart.

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C. In short: *Have you lived like God?*

Matthew 25

The Sheep and the Goats

Matthew 5

43 “You have heard that it was said, ‘YOU SHALL LOVE YOUR NEIGHBOR and hate your enemy.’ 44 “But I say to you, love your enemies and pray for those who persecute you, 45 so that you may be sons of your Father who is in heaven;

48 Therefore you are to be **perfect**, as your heavenly Father is **perfect**

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The Sentence: *the wicked will be sentenced to an eternal separation from God in the lake of fire*

A. The Matter of **Remembrance:**

Luke 16:25

"But Abraham said, 'Child, **remember** that during your life you received your good things, and likewise Lazarus bad things; but now he is being comforted here, and you are in agony.'"

Psalm 28:4

Requite them according to their work and according to the evil of their practices;
Requite them according to the deeds of their hands;
Repay them their recompense.

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B. The **Second Death**:

Revelation 20:14-15

Then death and Hades were thrown into the lake of fire. This is the **second death**, the lake of fire. 15 And if anyone's name was not found written in the **book of life**, he was **thrown into the lake of fire**.

2 Thessalonians 1:9

And these will **pay the penalty** of eternal destruction, **away from the presence** of the Lord and from the glory of His power.

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The Saved: *because the sins of saved are remembered no more, they will not be condemned, but be rewarded with eternal life*

A. Do not come into judgment:

John 5:24

“Truly, truly, I say to you, he who hears My word, and believes Him who sent Me, has eternal life, and **does not come into judgment**, but has passed out of death into life.”

- NIV: “will not be **judged**”
- KJV: shall not come into **condemnation**

John 3:18

He who believes in Him **is not judged**; he who does not believe has **been judged already**, because he has not believed in the name of the only begotten Son of God.

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A. Do not come into judgment:

Romans 8:1

Therefore there is now **no condemnation** for those who are in Christ Jesus.

Romans 8:33-34

Who will bring a **charge** against God's elect? God is the one who justifies; 34 who is the one who **condemns**? Christ Jesus is He who died, yes, rather who was raised, who is at the right hand of God, who also **intercedes** for us.

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B. Sins are **remembered** no more:

Acts 3:19

“Therefore repent and return, so that your **sins** may be **wiped away**, in order that times of refreshing may come from the presence of the Lord.”

- **obliterate, wipe away, blot out, erase**

Psalm 103:12

As far as the east is from the west, so far has He **removed** our transgressions from us.

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B. Sins are **remembered** no more:

Isaiah 43:25

"I, even I, am he who **blots out** your transgressions, for my own sake, and **remembers your sins no more.**"

Jeremiah 31:34

No longer will they teach their neighbor, or say to one another, 'Know the LORD,' because they will all know me, from the least of them to the greatest," declares the LORD. "For I will **forgive** their wickedness and will **remember their sins no more.**

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B. Sins are **remembered** no more:

Jeremiah 50:20

'In those days and at that time,' declares the LORD, 'search will be made for the iniquity of Israel, but there will be none; and for the sins of Judah, but **they will not be found**; for I will pardon those whom I leave as a remnant.'

Ezekiel 18:22

None of the offenses they have committed will be **remembered** against them. Because of the righteous things they have done, they will live.

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C. We will have an **advocate**: Jesus

1 John 2:1

My little children, I am writing these things to you so that you may not sin. And if anyone sins, **we have an Advocate** with the Father, Jesus Christ the righteous.

- **one who pleads another's cause before a judge, a pleader, counsel for defense**

Hebrews 7:25

Therefore He is able also to **save** forever those who draw near to God through Him, since He always **lives** to make **intercession** for them.

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Luke 10:20

“Nevertheless do not rejoice in this, that the spirits are subject to you, but rejoice that **your names are recorded in heaven.**”

Revelation 7:16, 17

“They will hunger no longer, nor thirst anymore; nor will the sun beat down on them, nor any heat; ¹⁷ for the Lamb in the center of the throne will be their shepherd, and will guide them to springs of the water of life; and God will **wipe** every tear from their eyes.”

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